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SUBJ: PLO OFFICE IN TEHRAN

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WE CANNOT VOUCHSAFE FOR ACCURACY OF IRANIAN AMBASSADOR'S STORY REPORTED REFTEL BUT DOUBT WHETHER HIS RECOUNTING OF IT PARALLELS WHAT, IF ANYTHING, MAY HAVE TRANSPIRED BETWEEN HIM AND THE SHAH ON THIS SUBJECT. MORE GENERALLY SPEAKING, PLO HAS BEEN TRYING FOR SOME TIME EITHER THROUGH DIRECT REPRESENTATIONS OR REPRESENTATIONS ON ITS BEHALF BY FRIENDS FROM EGYPT AND ELSEWHERE, TO GET IRANIAN AGREEMENT TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PLO OFFICE IN TEHRAN. THROUGH VARIOUS STRATAGEMS, PROCRASTINATIONS, AND DIVERSIONS THE SHAH HAS MANAGED TO WAVE THE PLO OFF WITHOUT NECESSARILY TURNING DOWN THEIR REQUEST FLATLY. HE DID NOT NEED THE ADVICE OF GHADER TO REACH THIS CONCLUSION. WHETHER THE SHAH WILL CONTINUE TO FOB THE PLO OFF IN THE FUTURE, WE DO NOT KNOW, BUT WE WOULD REMIND OUR READERS OF THE STRONG ALBEIT UNOFFICIAL ISRAELI PRESENCE HERE AND THE CLOSE TIES OF CONSULTATION AND

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COOPERATION BETWEEN ISRAEL AND IRAN.
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